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File: USPT

Jul 17, 2001

US-PAT-NO: 6261535

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6261535 B1

TITLE: Diagnostic methods for targeting the vasculature of solid tumors

DATE-ISSUED: July 17, 2001

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Thorpe; Philip E.	Dallas	TX		
Burrows; Francis J.	San Diego	CA		

US-CL-CURRENT: 424/1.49; 424/130.1, 424/133.1, 424/142.1, 424/145.1, 424/155.1,
424/156.1, 424/178.1, 424/179.1, 424/181.1, 424/183.1, 424/186.1, 424/9.32,
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2. Document ID: US 6190661 B1

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File: USPT

Feb 20, 2001

US-PAT-NO: 6190661

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6190661 B1

TITLE: Methods and compositions for the use of apurinic/aprimidinic endonucleases

DATE-ISSUED: February 20, 2001

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Kelley; Mark R.	Zionsville	IN		
Duquid; John	Brownsburg	IN		
Eble; John	Indianapolis	IN		

US-CL-CURRENT: 424/139.1; 436/63, 436/64, 514/44

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File: USPT

May 30, 2000

US-PAT-NO: 6070126

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6070126 A

TITLE: Immunobiologically-active linear peptides and method of identification

DATE-ISSUED: May 30, 2000

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Kokolus; William J.	Kenmore	NY	14217	
Fritsche; Herbert A.	Houston	TX		
Johnston; Dennis A.	Houston	TX		

US-CL-CURRENT: 702/19; 530/300

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File: USPT

Apr 18, 2000

US-PAT-NO: 6051230

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 6051230 A

TITLE: Compositions for targeting the vasculature of solid tumors

DATE-ISSUED: April 18, 2000

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Thorpe; Philip E.	Dallas	TX		
Burrows; Francis J.	San Diego	CA		

US-CL-CURRENT: 424/178.1; 424/179.1, 424/180.1, 424/181.1, 424/182.1, 424/183.1, 530/387.1, 530/387.7, 530/388.1, 530/388.2

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 5. Document ID: US 5965132 A

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File: USPT

Oct 12, 1999

US-PAT-NO: 5965132
DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5965132 A

TITLE: Methods and compositions for targeting the vasculature of solid tumors

DATE-ISSUED: October 12, 1999

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Thorpe; Philip E.	Dallas	TX		
Burrows; Francis J.	San Diego	CA		

US-CL-CURRENT: 424/1.49; 424/1.45, 424/139.1, 424/156.1, 424/183.1, 435/70.1,
435/70.2, 530/387.2, 530/391.7, 530/391.9 , 530/807, 530/828

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File: USPT

Jul 6, 1999

US-PAT-NO: 5919643
DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5919643 A

TITLE: Methods and compositions for the use of apurinic/aprimidinic endonucleases

DATE-ISSUED: July 6, 1999

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Kelley; Mark R.	Zionsville	IN		
Duguid; John	Brownsburg	IN		
Eble; John	Indianapolis	IN		

US-CL-CURRENT: 435/19; 435/199

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7. Document ID: US 5863538 A

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File: USPT

Jan 26, 1999

US-PAT-NO: 5863538
DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5863538 A

TITLE: Compositions for targeting the vasculature of solid tumors

DATE-ISSUED: January 26, 1999

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Thorpe; Philip E.	Dallas	TX		
Burrows; Francis J.	San Diego	CA		

US-CL-CURRENT: 424/136.1; 424/138.1, 424/141.1, 424/154.1, 424/155.1, 424/172.1,
424/173.1, 424/174.1, 424/181.1, 530/387.3, 530/387.7, 530/388.22

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8. Document ID: US 5855866 A

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File: USPT

Jan 5, 1999

US-PAT-NO: 5855866
DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5855866 A

TITLE: Methods for treating the vasculature of solid tumors

DATE-ISSUED: January 5, 1999

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Thorpe; Philip E.	Dallas	TX		
Burrows; Francis J.	Dallas	TX		

US-CL-CURRENT: 424/1.49; 424/142.1, 424/155.1, 424/156.1, 424/178.1, 424/181.1,
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9. Document ID: US 5807978 A

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File: USPT

Sep 15, 1998

US-PAT-NO: 5807978
DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5807978 A

TITLE: Immunogenic peptides of prostate specific antigen

DATE-ISSUED: September 15, 1998

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Kokolus; William J.	Houston	TX	77054	
Fritsche; Herbert A.	Houston	TX	77041	
Johnston; Dennis A.	Houston	TX	77062	

US-CL-CURRENT: 530/300; 424/184.1, 424/185.1, 424/277.1, 530/326, 530/327, 530/403

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10. Document ID: US 5776427 A

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File: USPT

Jul 7, 1998

US-PAT-NO: 5776427

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5776427 A

TITLE: Methods for targeting the vasculature of solid tumors

DATE-ISSUED: July 7, 1998

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Thorpe; Philip E.	Dallas	TX		
Burrows; Francis J.	San Diego	CA		

US-CL-CURRENT: 424/1.49; 424/138.1, 424/143.1, 424/145.1, 424/178.1, 424/179.1, 424/181.1, 424/183.1, 424/93.21, 530/387.2, 530/388.2, 530/388.73, 530/391.7

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11. Document ID: US 5660827 A

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File: USPT

Aug 26, 1997

US-PAT-NO: 5660827

DOCUMENT-IDENTIFIER: US 5660827 A

TITLE: Antibodies that bind to endoglin

DATE-ISSUED: August 26, 1997

INVENTOR-INFORMATION:

NAME	CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE	COUNTRY
Thorpe; Philip E.	Dallas	TX		
Burrows; Francis J.	San Diego	CA		

US-CL-CURRENT: 424/152.1; 424/130.1, 424/138.1, 424/141.1, 530/387.1, 530/388.1

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AB Identification of immunogenic leukemia-associated antigens as target structures is mandatory for specific immunotherapy of leukemia. Here, we define acute myeloid leukemia (AML) antigens eliciting a humoral immune response in the autologous host. We applied the method of serologic screening of cDNA expression libraries with autologous serum (SEREX). To date, this technique has been used to characterize antigen structures in solid tumors. The mRNA expression pattern of these newly in AML isolated antigens and previously described leukemia antigens (PRAME, MAGE-1, and Wt-1) was evaluated by reverse transcriptase polymerase chain reaction. For Wt-1, Western blotting also was performed. Screening of a cDNA expression library prepared from a patient with AML FAB M2 using autologous and allogeneic sera, followed by sequencing of positive clones, yielded three autoantigens (Prplp/Zerlp, Ll9H1, and one without homology to previously described genes) and two antigens reactive with allogeneic sera (MAZ, PINCH). PRAME mRNA was expressed in 47% of 34 AML patients, but not in 13 CD34(+) cell samples or in peripheral blood mononuclear cells of 13 healthy volunteers. mRNA expression of MAZ was detected in 44% of AML patients, but only in 8% of healthy donors. Humoral responses to MAZ were detected in 35%. More than 80% of the screened AML patients showed simultaneous expression of two or more of these antigens. Differential expression in AML patients vs healthy volunteers suggests that the immunogenic antigens PRAME and MAZ are potential candidates for immunotherapy in AML.

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L4 ANSWER 2 OF 3 MEDLINE DUPLICATE 2
ACCESSION NUMBER: 97324127 MEDLINE
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 97324127 PubMed ID: 9180296
TITLE: Establishment and characterization of a new, factor-independent acute myeloid leukemia line designated Ei501.
AUTHOR: Weidmann E; Brieger J; Karakas T; Maurer U; Pascheberg U; Hoelzer D; Mitrou P S; Bergmann L
CORPORATE SOURCE: Medical Clinic III, Department of Internal Medicine, University Hospital, Johann-Wolfgang Goethe University, Frankfurt/M, Germany.
SOURCE: LEUKEMIA, (1997 May) 11 (5) 709-13.
PUB. COUNTRY: ENGLAND: United Kingdom
LANGUAGE: English
FILE SEGMENT: Priority Journals
ENTRY MONTH: 199706
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Entered Medline: 19970626

AB We established a factor-independent acute myeloid leukemia cell line, designated Ei501. The line has been growing in RPMI 1640 media for 18 months and can be maintained without addition of growth factors. Ei501 is positive for myeloperoxidase and negative for esterase and PAS. Cytogenetic analysis revealed the FAB M3 associated t(15;17) translocation and a translocation of the chromosomes 7 and 8: 46 XX, -7, +t(7;8)(q32;q13), t(15;17)(q22;q12). This karyotype was confirmed by fluorescence in situ hybridization. Ei501 cells express AML-associated surface markers such as CD13, CD33 and CD38. Although 42% of the patient's blast cells were CD34-positive, the line lacks surface expression of CD34. Furthermore the line has a number of characteristics which are detectable in blasts from AML patients, such as surface adhesion molecules, cytokines such as TGF-beta, cytokine receptors such as the IL-2 receptor beta and gamma chains or the IL-4 receptor and the genes for the transcription factor wt-1 (Wilms' tumor gene) and for the proto-oncogene bcl-2, both shown to be present in the majority of patients with AML. Additionally the line can be used as target in cytotoxicity assays using IL-2 activated cytotoxic lymphocytes as effector cells. In conclusion, besides a rare karyotype the Ei501 cell line has several features common in AML, and may therefore be used as a model to study pathogenetic mechanisms in acute myeloid leukemia.

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L4 ANSWER 3 OF 3 MEDLINE DUPLICATE 3
ACCESSION NUMBER: 96119558 MEDLINE
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 96119558 PubMed ID: 8589020
TITLE: The Wilms' tumor gene is frequently expressed in acute myeloblastic leukemias and may provide a marker for residual blast cells detectable by PCR.
AUTHOR: Brieger J; Weidmann E; Maurer U; Hoelzer D; Mitrou P S; Bergmann L
CORPORATE SOURCE: Medical Clinic III, Hematology-Oncology, J. W. Goethe University, Frankfurt/M., Germany.
SOURCE: ANNALS OF ONCOLOGY, (1995 Oct) 6 (8) 811-6.
PUB. COUNTRY: Netherlands
LANGUAGE: English
FILE SEGMENT: Priority Journals
ENTRY MONTH: 199603
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AB BACKGROUND: The tumor suppressor gene wt-1 was isolated by cytogenetic deletion analysis of patients with Wilms' tumor (wt-1). This gene encodes for a zinc finger DNA-binding protein with transcription-repressing properties. During normal ontogenesis it is expressed in a time- and tissue-dependent manner mainly in the kidneys and gonads. Recently, the expression of wt-1 in acute leukemias (AL) was reported. Here we investigated the

prognostic potential of wt-1 mRNA expression during the course of the disease using the PCR technique. PATIENTS AND METHODS: Blast cells from 83 patients with newly diagnosed AML and 20 AML patients during follow-up in complete remission were analyzed for wt-1 mRNA expression. Peripheral blood mononuclear cells (PBMNC) and bone marrow (BM) from healthy persons (n = 13) and sorted CD34-positive cells from normal donors (n = 4) were used as negative controls. RESULTS: Wt-1-specific m-RNA was detectable in 67/83 (81%) patients with AML. Normal donors did not express wt-1 m-RNA but in 1/4 sorted CD34+ cell samples a weak amplified product was observed. After achieving cytological CR 14/20 studied patients lost wt-1 expression. In 7/8 patients in morphological CR the reappearance of wt-1 expression preceded relapse of the disease, in 1/8 patients wt-1 remained positive in CR. Response to therapy, disease-free survival, overall survival and FAB-subtype did not correlate with wt-1 m-RNA expression in newly diagnosed AML before therapy. CONCLUSIONS: In the majority of acute leukemias wt-1 is expressed and probably blast cell-associated, at least in levels detectable by PCR. Wt-1 mRNA was detectable in bone marrow cells of AML patients in clinical CR. The results strongly suggest that the persistence or reappearance of wt-1 predicts relapse of the disease prior to morphological relapse.

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L7 ANSWER 1 OF 5 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2001 ACS
 ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000:314730 CAPLUS
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 132:333396
 TITLE: Immunotherapy of cancer using epitopes of WT-1 and GATA-1 transcription factors
 INVENTOR(S): Stauss, Hans Josef; Gao, Liqian
 PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Imperial College Innovations Limited, UK
 SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 93 pp.
 CODEN: PIXXD2
 DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent
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PRIORITY APPLN. INFO.: GB 1998-23897 A 19981102
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AB The authors disclose that the peptides RMFPNAPYL or CMTWNQMNL

are epitopes for cytotoxic T-cells recognizing WT-1 in an HLA-A2-restricted manner. In addn. the peptide is HLMPPFGPLL is a CTL epitope of human GATA-1 transcription factor. The peptides, and polynucleotides encoding them, may be useful as cancer vaccines.

REFERENCE COUNT: 3
REFERENCE(S): (1) Anon; J BIOL CHEM
(2) Massachusetts Inst Technology; WO 9107509 A 1991 CAPLUS
(3) Wistar Inst; WO 9529995 A 1995 CAPLUS
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RL: BAC (Biological activity or effector, except adverse); PRP (Properties); THU (Therapeutic use); BIOL (Biological study); USES (Uses) (of WT-1 and GATA-1 transcription factors for immunotherapy of cancer)
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RL: THU (Therapeutic use); BIOL (Biological study); USES (Uses) (retro-inverso; for epitopes of GATA-1 and WT-1 transcription factors in relation to immunotherapy of cancer)

L7 ANSWER 2 OF 5 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2001 ACS
ACCESSION NUMBER: 1995:341423 CAPLUS
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 122:129828
TITLE: Phenotypic changes induced in small cell lung carcinoma cells by overexpression of myc and ras oncogenes
AUTHOR(S): Buerger, Christiane; Scheffler, Sonja; Elsasser, Hans-Peter; Adamkiewicz, Juergen
CORPORATE SOURCE: Institut Molekularbiologie und Tumorforschung, Philipps-Universitaet, Marburg, D-35037, Germany
SOURCE: Mol. Cell. Differ. (1994), 2(4), 373-98
CODEN: MCDIEL; ISSN: 1065-3074
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal
LANGUAGE: English
AB Overexpression of c-myc and activated H-ras oncogenes in the small-cell lung carcinoma (SCLC) cell lines NCI-N592 and NCI-H69 caused characteristic phenotypic changes in these cells, supporting the hypothesis that a transition from an SCLC to a non-small-cell lung carcinoma (NSCLC) large-cell carcinoma phenotype was induced. To obtain more detailed information about this process, the authors compared in c-myc- and activated H-ras-transfected cells and in the corresponding parental cells the expression or activity of both new and established lung cancer cell type-specific markers. The transfected cells lost SCLC-specific TRE-binding activity detectable in electrophoretic mobility shift assays and showed a higher expression of the tumor suppressor genes Rb-1 and Wt-1 characteristic for NSCLC cell lines. Furthermore, they expressed an NSCLC large-cell undifferentiated lung carcinoma cell-specific OTF-2/Oct-2 RNA. The expression of most known SCLC-specific marker genes remained unchanged, which is in agreement with the frequent detection of neuroendocrine markers in large-cell carcinomas. However, the gene encoding gastrin-releasing peptide was down regulated in the transfected cells. Most of these changes were detectable in transfected cells in vitro as well as in nude mouse tumors, thus excluding cell culture artifacts. Apparently, the authors have identified early markers of a cell type transition pathway that might help to define an initial phase in the progression toward a treatment-resistant tumor state occurring in more than 90% of SCLCs.
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L7 ANSWER 3 OF 5 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2001 ACS
ACCESSION NUMBER: 1985:503357 CAPLUS
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 103:103357
TITLE: Preparation of antibodies to human leukemia virus
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Japanese Foundation for Cancer Research, Japan; Otsuka Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd.
SOURCE: Jpn. Kokai Tokkyo Koho, 20 pp.
CODEN: JKKXAP
DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent
LANGUAGE: Japanese
FAMILY ACC. NUM. COUNT: 1
PATENT INFORMATION:

PATENT NO.	KIND	DATE	APPLICATION NO.	DATE
JP 60067432	A2	19850417	JP 1983-176079	19830922
JP 04079356	B4	19921215		

AB Antibodies to human leukemia virus are isolated from blood serum of mammals immunized by complexes consisting of human leukemia virus-related peptides and carriers. Thus, a procedure is described for the prepn. of H-Tyr-Val-Glu-Pro-Thr-Ala-Pro-Gln-Val-Leu-OH. An immune antigen is prepd. by forming complexes of the peptide with Ascaris exts. (av. mol. wt. 1 times 105) used as carriers. The antigen is administered to rabbits, and the antibodies are isolated from the serum.
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AB The Wilms tumor (WT1) gene has been reported to be preferentially expressed in acute leukemia cells, regardless of leukemia subtype and chronic myelogenous leukemia cells in blast crisis, but not in normal cells. This finding suggests strongly that WT1 protein is a potential target of immunotherapy for human leukemia. In this study, we established a CD8+ cytotoxic T-lymphocyte (CTL) clone directed against a WT1-derived peptide and examined its immunologic actions on leukemia cells. A CD8+ CTL clone, designated TAK-1, which lysed autologous cells loaded with a WT1-derived 9-mer peptide consisting of the HLA-A24 (HLA-A*2402)-binding motifs was established by stimulating CD8+ T lymphocytes from a healthy

individual repeatedly with WT1 peptide-pulsed autologous dendritic cells. TAK-1 was cytotoxic to HLA-A24-positive leukemia cells expressing WT1, but not to HLA-A24-positive lymphoma cells that did not express WT1, HLA-A24-negative leukemia cells, or HLA-A24-positive normal cells. Treating leukemia cells with an antisense oligonucleotide complementary to the WT1 gene resulted in reduced TAK-1-mediated cytotoxicity, suggesting that target antigen of TAK-1 on leukemia cells is the naturally processed WT1 peptide in the context of HLA-A24. TAK-1 did not inhibit colony formation by normal bone marrow cells of HLA-A24-positive individuals. Because WT1 is overexpressed ubiquitously in various types of leukemia cells, but not in normal cells, immunotherapy using WT1 peptide-specific CTL clones should be an efficacious treatment for human leukemia.

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ABSTRACT:

The present invention relates generally to methods and compositions for targeting the vasculature of solid tumors using immunological- and growth factor-based reagents. In particular aspects, antibodies carrying diagnostic or therapeutic agents are targeted to the vasculature of solid tumor masses through recognition of tumor vasculature-associated antigens, such as, for example, through endoglin binding, or through the specific induction of endothelial cell

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ABSTRACT:

Disclosed are methods and compositions for identifying, monitoring and treating premalignant and malignant conditions in a human subject. The present invention further discloses methods and compositions for determining cells undergoing apoptosis, and for increasing the efficacy of a cancer therapy. The methods involve the use of apurinic/aprimidinic endonuclease (APE), independently, as a marker for (pre)malignant conditions and for apoptosis. Also described are polyclonal antibody preparations for use in methods for detecting APE and methods for modulating expression susceptibility of cells to apoptosis.

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ABSTRACT:

The present invention relates to identifying protein epitopes and more particularly to a novel method for identifying, determining the location, optimal length of amino acid residues and immunobiological potency of protein epitopes by applying a custom negative cosine function fit algorithm to a protein hydropathy scale. This fit analysis is supplemented with experimental immunobiological data. The amino acid sequence of the protein epitopes of the present invention exhibit a hydrophobic-hydrophilic-hydrophobic hydropathy pattern of an approximately fixed length in a given protein.

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The present invention relates generally to methods and compositions for targeting the vasculature of solid tumors using immunological- and growth factor-based reagents. In particular aspects, antibodies carrying diagnostic or therapeutic agents are targeted to the vasculature of solid tumor masses through recognition of tumor vasculature-associated antigens, such as, for example, through endoglin binding, or through the specific induction of endothelial cell surface antigens on vascular endothelial cells in solid tumors.

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ABSTRACT:

The present invention relates generally to methods and compositions for targeting the vasculature of solid tumors using immunological- and growth factor-based reagents. In particular aspects, antibodies carrying diagnostic or therapeutic agents are targeted to the vasculature of solid tumor masses through

recognition of tumor vasculature-associated antigens, such as, for example, through endoglin binding, or through the specific induction of endothelial cell surface antigens on vascular endothelial cells in solid tumors.

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ABSTRACT:

Disclosed are methods and compositions for identifying, monitoring and treating premalignant and malignant conditions in a human subject. The present invention further discloses methods and compositions for determining cells undergoing apoptosis, and for increasing the efficacy of a cancer therapy. The methods involve the use of apurinic/aprimidinic endonuclease (APE), independently, as a marker for (pre)malignant conditions and for apoptosis. Also described are polyclonal antibody preparations for use in methods for detecting APE and methods for modulating expression susceptibility of cells to apoptosis.

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The present invention relates generally to methods and compositions for targeting the vasculature of solid tumors using immunological- and growth

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The present invention relates generally to methods and compositions for targeting the vasculature of solid tumors using immunologically-based reagents. In particular aspects, antibodies carrying diagnostic or therapeutic agents are targeted to the vasculature of solid tumor masses through recognition of tumor vasculature-associated antigens, such as, for example, through endoglin binding, or through the specific induction of endothelial cell surface antigens on

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Peptides derived from prostate specific antigen (PSA) that correspond to the immunodominant epitopes found in the native antigen are disclosed. These peptides were identified using a method that predicts continuous, immunodominant epitopes. Anti-PSA antibodies, methods for their production and their use in diagnostic assays also are disclosed.

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ABSTRACT:

Disclosed are antibodies that specifically bind to endoglin. Conjugates of the antibodies linked to diagnostic or therapeutic agents are also provided. Methods of using the antibodies and conjugates are also disclosed, including methods of targeting the vasculature of solid tumors through recognition of the tumor vasculature-associated antigen, endoglin.

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